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Honorable Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
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Washington DC 20423

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RE: Ex Parte No. 646 (Sub-No. 1), Simplified Standards for Rail Rate Cases

Dear Secretary Williams,

BOC Gases hereby files its notice of intent to participate as a party of record in the above-captioned proceeding. Please add my company to the service list.

BOC Gases requests that copies of notices, decisions, comments and pleadings in this proceeding be served on the undersigned.

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If there are questions please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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